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Along the Miami

Dick Martin and family visited at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Martin Sunday.

Mrs. Lindner who has been visiting her mother Mrs. Jarvis returned to her home in Kansas City Tuesday of last week. Her brother Ernest accompanied her for a visit in the city.

Mrs. Corlett returned home Sunday. She has been visiting her sister in Kansas and her daughter Mrs. Cain in Colorado. She was gone about six weeks.

J. F. Smith and wife and wife came out early Thursday morning of last week to fish a few hours.

The school board of the Bethel school are making preparations for a well and needed improvements on the school house.

Louis and Miss Mamie Smith who have been visiting relatives returned to their home in Stewartville Friday of last week.

Miss Mary Wolf visited her brother and family east of town last Thursday. Miss Hazel Wolf came home with her and visited until Sunday.

Wednesday August 6th, was the birthday anniversary of H. J. Martin. He had almost forgotten about it when his daughters, Mrs. Joe Herman and Mrs. Lee Phelps with their children came in and reminded him. They prepared a fine dinner. In the afternoon the boys brought watermelons and Mr. Martin enjoyed his birthday in the most approved manner. May he have many happy returns.

Col. O. D. Austin and wife, Judge Carl Henry and wife and Mrs. Emerson came out to the waterworks in Judge Henry's car Monday evening. They wanted to learn about the water supply. The creek has been going down rapidly for several days. Something over 300,000 gallons of water have been consumed daily for some time.

Joe Herman is visiting relatives in Arkansas.

H. J. Martin and family entertained John Morris and family and Miss Emma Harve Thursday evening. Ice cream was served.

Herman Martin left for Denver, Ill. last Thursday morning.

Robert McCann and daughter are taking care of Charley Blake's farm while Mr. Blake and family are visiting in Kentucky. Mr. McCann and daughter attended church in Butler Sunday.

Grandma Morris and grandsons James and Alvin visited at the home of John Morris Sunday.

Jake Wolf and family, Miss Chaney and Miss Amy Groves spent a pleasant day with Fred Wolf and family Sunday.

John Allkire is doing some repair work at the waterworks.

The Bates County Fair

The next event of general interest will be the county fair. We are glad to have this in August as it has interfered with our schools when it comes later. Some of our young folks especially interested in the specimens from the State Agricultural department last year. The baby show promises to be of special interest this year. Some of the babies in our part of the county have taken prizes in baby contests. There are several pretty babies in our midst now but this contest will be different from the regular beauty contest. We have been reading of the perfect babies else where. We know we have them in Bates county and feel sure several near the Miami will score many perfect marks. We urge the parents to take their babies for we want the baby that scores highest to come from this part of the county. Several of our neighbors have taken prizes in the culinary department. There are as fine cooks in this section as can be found anywhere. We hope they will not let this opportunity pass to bring some more prizes and honor to our section of the county. Our mechanical friends are all certain that they must see the airship. The greatest pleasure we have experienced at the fair is the meeting of friends we seldom see any other time. They are sure to all be there. There is goss-

ine joy in greeting them under such circumstances. The fair is educational. It is valuable as an advertising medium for stock and different kinds of produce. When we see the best, we try to make the best better and to keep everything up to the standard. The fair shows us what can be done. We need encouragement at the present time. Let us go to the fair, see what can be done in a dry year, then be encouraged for the future. MIAMI.

In and Around Maysburg

Still the hot weather continues.

Goldie Staton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Staton is very sick.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. L. White August 2d, a baby girl. The grandmother sent the name from Bakersfield, California, Thelma Lucile.

Mr. Sam Farmer and family and Tom Canon and wife spent Sunday at R. K. Godwin's.

Another wedding took place from our community August 2d. Mr. Harry Hibbs and Miss Ica Clark went to Butler in Mr. Hibb's car and surprised their friends by being married while in the city. We wish these young people a long and prosperous life.

Every one from Maysburg should attend the Bates County Fair this year, which will be the best ever. If you never was at the county seat, now is your time to go. If you have ever attended the fair there, you are sure to go this year.

Andrew Workman and Homer Stewart are digging a well for Tan White.

You are all invited to attend Home Department Day at the Christian Church the fifth Sunday in this month.

About \$35 were cleared at the ice cream supper at Mr. Walter Hart's Friday night for the benefit of the Christian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Claria visited Sunday at her father's.

A NEIGHBOR.

Sunday School Association

The Twenty-fifth Annual Convention of the Bates County Sunday School Association will be held in Rich Hill Sept. 2nd and 3rd. All schools of the county are urged to send delegates.

Ora E. Thompson, Sec. Bates Co.

Eastern Bates.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cunningham a son, August 6 1913.

Miss Kate Beaman of Sheldon is guest at the home of Miss Fay Reynolds and Mrs. Sallie Beaman.

The ladies west and southwest of Spruce met at the home of J. H. Baker's Thursday afternoon and organized a women's social club. They have 12 members to start with. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Charters, Sr.

Mrs. John Colson and daughter Miss Lena of Moundville who has been visiting the past two weeks at the home of I. E. Beard and Geo. Fisher near Ballard, returned to their home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kretzinger left Sunday to attend a camp meeting at Ft. Scott, Kansas.

W. Z. Griffin of Double Branch neighborhood visited Saturday night and Sunday with his Uncle J. H. Baker and family.

Uncle George Borland met with quite an accident Monday morning as he was driving home from Spruce. His team became frightened at a rock lying on a culvert and ran away throwing Mr. Borland out of the wagon on his head. It was thought that he was seriously injured as he was unconscious for a while. Dr. Fletcher was hurriedly summoned and found no broken bones but severely cut and bruised up. He is resting well at this writing.

A large crowd attended the ice supper at Spruce Saturday night. Over 40 gallons of ice cream was consumed. The net proceeds amounted \$46.

Clarence Westbrook's house was destroyed by fire Sunday. It was thought the fire started by a spark from the flue. The building was insured.

Next week comes the Bates County Fair to be held 19 to 22 at Butler. The association has spent time and money to make the 4 big days more attractive than ever before. Get a catalog and see what an interesting program they have planned for you. If you have anything to show, come and bring it and show what Bates can produce, if not come and help represent Bates county as the people of Bates owe their presence to the County Fair.

There will be a meeting at the High Point cemetery August 16. The cemetery will be cleaned and a basket dinner on the ground. Everybody interested invited to attend and make the resting places of their loved ones more beautiful. LIBERTY.

Mulberry and Western Bates.

Mrs. Harve Lackey visited with Mrs. F. C. Ewbank Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed F. Rush, daughter Lois, and sons Paul and John, who have been visiting at the Dr. J. C. Sageser home returned to their home at La Cygne Saturday.

George Schmeal returned home from Columbus, Nebraska, Tuesday. He reports the corn crop badly damaged in the north.

Messrs. John Garber and Tom Schmeal were trading in Amoret Wednesday.

The Homer township board was in session Saturday.

Mrs. Jesse Yeakley and son Eddie of St. Joseph visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Porter.

Rambler was on the sick list several days last week.

Don't forget the Bates County Fair next week. There will be something doing all the time. Try and be there it may break up that spell of blues. Clarence Main visited at R. L. Nichols Sunday.

Road overseer John Dykman was grading the roads several days last week.

Cecil Porter helped Ekke Taute put up his crop of clover.

Mail carrier John W. Barton kept "batch" last week while Mrs. Barton visited with Mrs. Alf Barnes at Lamar. RAMBLER.

Virginia and Grand

View Pick-Ups.

A good rain would be greatly appreciated in this part of the county. Most of the farmers are hauling water.

Mrs. Lewis Lent is on the sick list. James Sacre and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Darr in Virginia.

Miss Ida Englehardt returned Monday after an extended visit with her sister, Lena, in Kansas and friends in Kansas City.

John Turner motored to Metz Sunday with the Amoret ball team.

Ola Ayers is visiting with her grandma in Butler.

Little Lucile Stevens who has been quite sick is improving.

E. T. Burge is digging a well.

Several of the neighbors assisted Warren Ayers in building a room in which to live until the one recently burned can be replaced.

S. N. Kinion is erecting a silo.

Mrs. George Thompson spent last week visiting friends and attending the Chautauqua in Pleasanton, Kansas.

The doctor was called Monday night to see Ernest Nightwine.

The following teachers who have been attending summer school at Warrensburg returned Saturday: Olive and Una Judy, Maude Martin, Helen Park, Iva Ayers, Mary Allen, and Charley Crosswhite.

Lewis J. Carter of Hume who was appointed rural carrier on Amoret route 1 will start Saturday.

Tommie Grimsley is reported on the sick list.

A crowd of young folks enjoyed a day's outing at the State Line bridge Sunday. All report a good time.

Willie Englehardt and Perry Burk left last week for Cands, N. Dakota, to help in the wheat harvest.

Bert Makins is helping Charley Lent dig a well. We are sure they will strike lots of water.

Wm. Hardinger has purchased a new auto.

E. F. Burk is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wallace were Butler visitors Monday.

It will take more than a fire to keep us away from the fair next week. All Charlotte township is coming and we're going to stay all week. Everett Drysdale is building a new machine shop. JOE.

Coming Attractions.

Butler Fair August 19-22.

Urish Encampment August 19-22.

Appleton City Chautauqua, August 17-31.

Appleton City Street Fair, August 27-29.

Deepwater Labor and Harvest Picnic, Sept. 1-2.

Calhoun Colt Show, Sept. 5-6.

Montrose Stock Show, Sept. 9-11.

Hume Stock Show, Sept. 28.

Missouri State Fair, Sept. 27 to Oct. 3.

Elkhart

Well it is still hot and dry. The big corn crop is a thing of the past for this year. The biggest job the farmer has is hauling water and cutting fodder for the stock. The pasture is also a thing of the past.

The most of the pencil shovers failed to show up last week. We guess that the weather was too hot.

Clarence and Myrtle Spillman attended the big show at Elkhart last Friday night.

Col. Lockridge and wife were trading in Amsterdam last Saturday.

We would like to know what has become of that North New Home scribe. It is about time for them to show up.

We don't have much trouble about cooking potatoes now because they are almost cooked in the ground.

George Fulkerson took in the sights at Butler last Saturday. He says the main drink down there is Miami water.

Rambler, don't you fellows forget about that big street fair that is going to be pulled off at Amsterdam on the 27 and 28. Be sure and come up.

Miss Rose Dawson and Miss Jackson attended church last Sunday at Concord. They had their best fellow with them, but we don't know which one had the most claim on him.

John Page and wife called at the writer's last Sunday evening.

Myrtle Spillman spent one day last week at the home of Miss Totie Keeton.

A. Westover shipped out a car load of hogs one day last week.

Mrs. Cora Harris and her mother of El Dorado Springs, visited at G. W. Armentrout's last week. They report it very dry down there.

The writer called at Uncle Charley Henderson's one day last week and had the pleasure of helping eat a fine watermelon.

Mrs. Cliff Ehart of New Home, is up in Elkhart and West Point on a visit with old friends.

Mrs. John Daniels is enjoying a visit from her mother of Webster City, Iowa.

Charley Henderson and wife, and Col. Lockridge and wife called at the writer's one day last week.

Brother Clapp and his family took in the big show at Elkhart last Friday night.

Deacon Fritts and sons thrashed oats for John Daniels one day last week.

Walter Henderson left one day last week for Iowa to get a job.

Henderson Keeton and family visited at his mother's one day last week.

Boyd Kershner and Carl Daniels are bailing straw for John Daniels this week.

Charley Henderson and wife, and Judge Hedger and wife all ate fried chicken at Col. Lockridge's Sunday.

J. H. Keeton has cut his second crop of clover hay and says it is fine.

John Page is at work on the G. W. Armentrout barn this week.

Don't forget the Big Bates County Fair at Butler next week. We want to meet you there.

JOHNNY.

Seeks Job for His Brother

Jefferson City, Mo., Aug. 11.—Judge William H. Wallace of Kansas City was in Jefferson City today to speak a good word for his brother, T. B. Wallace, who wants to be appointed Judge of the Jackson County Circuit Court to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge J. H. Slover.

Judge Wallace had a brief interview with Gov. Maier regarding the appointment. He said his brother is a Democrat and a lawyer of fine judicial turn of mind and well equipped for the bench.

"I am going into the next campaign," said Judge Wallace before leaving for home, "for two purposes. One will be to make a fight for the ratification of the county unit act by the people and the other to secure the defeat of the St. Louis home-rule laws. Beyond this I cannot say at this time how much and what character of work I shall do in the campaign."

Judge Wallace is head of the Prohibition party in Missouri.

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